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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
) MUR 7329
VIGOP (Virgin Islands Republican)
Party) and Scott B. Mackenzie, as)
treasurer, (~~Dismissal and Case Closure~~)
EPS))

CERTIFICATION

I, Laura E. Sinram, recording secretary of the Federal Election Commission executive session, do hereby certify that on November 14, 2018, the ~~Commission took the following actions in the above-captioned matter:~~

1. Failed by a vote of 3-1 to:
 - a. Dismiss the allegations that VIGOP (Virgin Island Republican Party) and Scott B. Mackenzie, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated the Act and Commission regulations, pursuant to the Commission's prosecutorial discretion under *Heckler v. Chaney*, 470 U.S. 821, 831-32 (1985).
 - b. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated July 12, 2018, and the appropriate letter.
 - c. Close the file as to all Respondents.

Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, and Walther voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioner Weintraub dissented.

2. ~~Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:~~

- a. ~~Close the file.~~

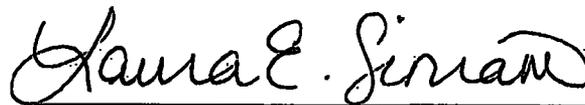
b. Send the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

11/15/18

Date



Laura E. Sinram
Deputy Secretary of the Commission

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